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In re Application of:

Docket No. 11302-1250 (44040-260647)

FREDERICK J. LANG ET AL.

Serial No. 09/900,698

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For:

PRE-MOISTENED WIPE PRODUCT

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** 

Preliminary Amendment

Applicant claims small entity status. No additional fee is required.

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a paper in the above-identified application.

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE	
TOTAL	72	MINUS	55=	17	x9	\$	x18	\$306	
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FIRST PRESENTATION OF  MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					+140	\$	+280	\$	
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A check in the amount of \$306 is attached to cover the additional claims fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR §1.16, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-0855. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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A check in the amount of \$306 is included to cover the fees associated with the newly added claims. No additional fees are believed due; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 11-0855.

Respectfully submitted,

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner For Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the patent application identified above, please enter the following amendments and consider the appended remarks.

## **IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please add new claims 56-72 as follows:

- 56. A wet wipe having an in-use tensile strength of greater than about 100 g/in, wherein the wet wipe has a tensile strength of less than about 70 g/in after being soaked in water having a concentration of about 10 ppm of one or more multivalent ions for about one hour, wherein the wet wipe has a tensile strength of less than about 60% of the in-use tensile strength after being soaked in water having a concentration of about 200 ppm of one or more multivalent ions for about one hour, wherein the wet wipe includes a wetting composition which may include organic solvents, further wherein the organic solvents do not ensure the in-use tensile strength when the in-use tensile strength is less than about 100 g/in.
- 57. The wet wipe of Claim 56, wherein the wet wipe comprises a fabric sheet saturated with the wetting composition.

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